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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

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METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING A WORKPIECE AND

TORQUE TRANSDUCER MODULE

Group:

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Examiner:

Christopher M. KOEHLER

PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 September 11, 2006

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing of a response within the second month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of April 11, 2006.

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$225.00 (small entity) to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (635.43617X00).

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